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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

CARREA et al.

Art Unit: 3746

Application No.: 10/829,376

Examiner: GARTENBERG, Ehud

Filing Date: 22 April 2004

Attorney Ref. No.: 003-130

For: GAS TURBINE

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**RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION**  
**and**  
**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11 February 2005, which set a 1-month shortened statutory period for response thereto, please amend the application as follows. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, and the fee therefor, is filed concurrently herewith.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

*Kindly amend Claims 1-40 and add claims 41 and 42, as follows:*